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## United States District Court DISTRICT OF NEVADA

James Anthony Davis,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 2:22-cv-01796-RFB-DJA

Michael Minev, et al.,

v.

Defendants.

Third Stipulation for Revised Scheduling Order

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Pursuant to FRCP 16(b)(4) and Local Rule 26-2, the parties stipulate and agree to modify/extend the Scheduling Order (ECF No. 59) and respectfully request the Court approve the proposed schedule, set forth herein. This is the third stipulation for the extension of these deadlines. This request is submitted at least twenty-one (21) days or more before the close of discovery (December 30, 2024) is made in good faith, and is supported by good cause.

## STATEMENT OF FACTS IN SUPPORT OF STIPULATION

On May 8, 2024, the Court approved the parties' stipulation for a discovery schedule. Shortly thereafter, Plaintiff's counsel diligently began discovery, making an initial disclosure and serving a request for production (RFP) on May 17, 2024 for a number of documents from NDOC, including Mr. Davis's medical records.

As previously noted, the discovery production is this case is particularly large, so far encompassing over 3,000 pages of documents. Plaintiff's counsel, after agreeing to an extension of the production deadline sought by Defendants, did not receive an initial disclosure until June 21, and received subsequent disclosures on July 1, July 11, and August 1. Plaintiff's counsel has required significant time to organize and review these records, so that he can determine what other discovery is needed to fully develop the claims in this case.

Since the prior extension was sought, counsel have proceeded with discovery. Plaintiff's counsel has noticed a Rule 30(b)(6) deposition, which he expects to complete in November. Plaintiff's counsel expects to notice further depositions pending completion of their review of the records, which is still ongoing. Counsel's preparations have been complicated by the fact that Mr. Davis has recently been brought back to the High Desert State Prison because of an alleged parole violation, which has complicated attorney-client communications and raises additional concerns about his medical care, which the parties expect to confer about soon.

Having conferred, the parties agree that more time is needed to conduct discovery and ask for a sixty (60) day extension of the current deadlines.

- The parties may engage in discovery until February 28, 2025;
- Expert disclosures must be made on or before December 30, 2024, and disclosures of rebuttal experts must be made on or before January 29, 2025.

- Dispositive Motions: that they be filed and served no later than March 31, 2025;
- Joint Pretrial Order: that it be due on April 30, 2025. If dispositive
  motions are filed, the deadline for filing the joint pretrial order will be
  suspended until 30 days after decision on the dispositive motions or
  further court order.

## **CONCLUSION**

Based on the foregoing and for good cause appearing, the Parties respectfully request that the Court approve their Stipulation and alter the discovery deadlines as set forth above.

Dated October 29, 2024

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IT IS SO ORDERED:

Daniel J. Albregts

United States Magistrate Judge

Dated: \_\_\_10/30/2024